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2001, the term for response to which expires on October 24, 2001,
submitted herewith are the following:

1. Translation into English of the specification, claims
and Abstract, together with a complete set of formal
drawings.

The undersigned has been informed by Applicants'
Japanese representatives that the enclosed English
language application is an accurate translation of the
Japanese language application as originally filed.

2. Formal Drawings - 12 sheets (Figs. 1-15B);

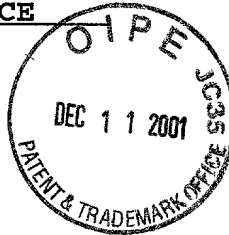
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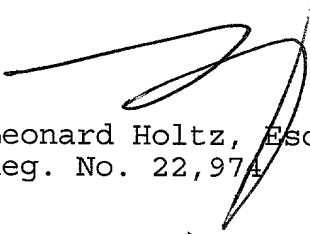
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3. Certified copies of Japanese Application Nos. 2000-208998 filed July 10, 2000 and 2001-203058 filed July 4, 2001, priority of which is claimed under 35 USC 119.
4. Information Disclosure Statement; PTO/SB/08A and 3 references.

The fee of \$130.00 for filing a "Non-English Specification" was previously submitted with the filing of the application.

It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed.

Respectfully submitted,



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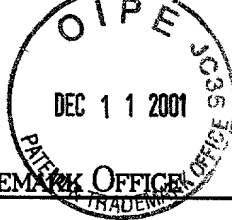
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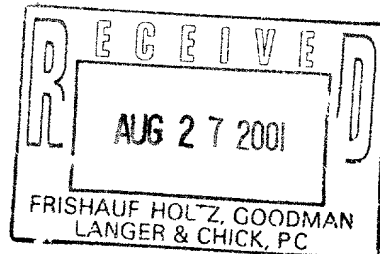
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
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